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SUBJECT: IAHC VISIT TO HAITI

1. VISIT OF IAHC HAS SO FAR BEEN PLAYED STRAIGHT BY GOH. PRIOR TO ARRIVAL, MEDIA REPORTED FREQUENTLY (USING USICA AND OTHER MATERIAL) ON UPCOMING VISIT AND CITED CONVENTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS. IT ALSO CARRIED IAHC ADVICE THAT IT WOULD LOOK DIMLY ON ANY REPRISALS AGAINST PEOPLE IT INTERVIEWED. BY THE TIME DR. AGUILAR ARRIVED AUGUST 16, THE COUNTRY HAD BEEN SATURATED BY REPORTS OF WHAT THE IAHC WAS AND WHAT IT PLANNED TO DO IN HAITI.

2. DR. AGUILAR HELD PRESS CONFERENCE ON ARRIVAL AND HE AND OTHER MEMBERS OF IAHC SUBSEQUENTLY MET WITH INTERIOR MINISTER JEANTY AND OTHER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. THEY ARE TO MEET WITH PRESIDENT AUGUST 18.

3. VISIT HAS GOTTEN OFF TO GOOD START. BECAUSE THERE IS FEELING AMONG CRITICS OF GOVERNMENT THAT IAHC IS SIMPLY HERE TO CONFIRM GOH HUMAN RIGHTS ACHIEVEMENTS HOWEVER, THEY MAY BE SLOW IN TAKING ADVANTAGE OF IAHC VISIT.

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